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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Roland Albert et al.  
Serial No.: 10/616,018  
Date Filed: July 9, 2003  
Group Art Unit: 3682  
Examiner: Kim, Chong HWA  
Title: PLASTIC CONTROL PLATE OF A  
HYDRAULIC GEARBOX CONTROL  
DEVICE IN A MOTOR VEHICLE

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

In response to the Final Office Action mailed January 12, 2005, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments set forth below and request favorable action thereon.

**Amendments to Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.